

PUBLIC DAILY LEDGER

SIXTH YEAR.

MAYSVILLE, KY., FRIDAY, DECEMBER 10, 1897.

ONE CENT.

Sixpenny CIRCULATION
LARGEST IN THE CITY.

Purely Business!

The columns of a newspaper represent a cash value. No publisher can afford to give advertising "bribe" free any more than a merchant can give over his counter free of any goods or shoes. A newspaper is a legitimate business concern. Its columns are its stock in trade, and advertisements should be paid for, no matter in what part of the paper they appear.

Some More of Our Holiday Gift Bargains.

It is generally customary for Clothiers to advertise cut rates on Ulsters and Heavy-weight Overcoats when the weather is warm. That's the time people with not very plethoric pockets do not want them. This is the sort of weather heavy garments are wanted, and several lots we closed out recently enable us to offer them at prices that would almost induce you to buy them in midsummer.

Today we put on sale 132 Black Frieze Ulsters.

cut fifty-four inches long, lined with heavy union cassimere, worth and sold everywhere for \$8.50, \$10; our price \$6.75.

Today we put on sale a new invoice of English Kersey Overcoats,

lined with triple warp farmer's satin, silk velvet collars, some of them cut in ulster length, others in the latest topcoat fashion—Costs that in our early purchase cost us \$9.50 to \$10, but in our recent closing out of big lots of clothing enable us to sell them at \$7.75. We have a few of the Melton \$3 worth \$6 Overcoats left. If you find your store you will almost find an Overcoat.

Today we put on sale Lot No. 7284,

(remember the lot number and ask us to show it to you) 47 dark brown plaid imported Cheviot Suits, warranted strictly all WOOL, beautifully made and trimmed, all sizes, sold them early in season for \$12.50; our recent purchase lets us give them away at \$7.65. The 10 percent cut on our very best \$3.50, \$4.00 and \$5.00 shoes, all of them made for us by Smith & Stoughton, affords you the best Footwear in the country at very moderate cost.

HECHINGER & CO.
LEADERS IN FINE CLOTHING AND SHOES.

THE BEE HIVE!

Leonardo de Vinci's world renowned famous picture

"The Last Supper!"

Size of picture unframed 22x36 inches. This great masterpiece is a reproduction in litho-engraving from the original painted in oil upon the wall of the refectory of the Convent of Santa Maria della Guazie, Milan, Italy. On Friday and Saturday, Dec. 10th and 11th, this magnificent engraving will be presented absolutely free (we will not worry or bother you with coupons) to every one buying \$3 or upwards. A framed copy of this picture is on exhibition in our show-window.

ROSENAU BROS., KINGS OF LOW PRICES.

MAYSVILLE WEATHER.

What We May Expect For the Next Twenty-four Hours.

THE LEDGER'S WEATHER SIGNALS.
Frost streams—Faint.
Dew—Rain or snow.
With black above—will warm up.
If black above—golden will be.
Unless black's shown—no change we'll use.

THE ADVE'S FORECAST ARE MADE FOR A Period thirty-six hours, ending at 10 o'clock to-morrow evening.

HERE AND THERE

IF you have friends visiting you, or if you are going away on a visit, please drop us a note to that effect.

Mrs. Alice Boyd is visiting relatives at Minerva.

Miss Basket of Winchester is visiting her brother, Mr. T. H. Basket.

Mrs. Dr. Williams is the guest of Mrs. Savage at Pelham's Farm today.

Mr. W. H. Hunter of Washington was a caller on The Ledger yesterday.

Mr. Harry A. Andrews of Flemingsburg was a caller on The Ledger yesterday.

Mrs. L. L. Hendon of Lebanonville is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. P. N. Bradford of Aberdeen.

Mr. Darnell, Manager of the Cigar-makers' International Union, is here in the interest of that Order.

Christmas H. Grigsby, Jr., of Sardis, accompanied by Mrs. Grigsby and their son, was a guest yesterday on Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Byrne.

Misses Rose and Sophie Williams left this morning for a visit to their sister, Mrs. George Busby at Lebanon, Ind.

All matter for publication must be handed in before 9 o'clock to the morning of each day.

If you have an item of news, please call up The Ledger, Telephone 33, and send it in.

Use Sweet Blossom Corn.

Gold Pens at McCarthy's.

Buy Headlight Oil from C. Wetzel.

Tobacco Insurance—John C. Everett.

Examine our line of Pocket-books, Card Cases and Purse at Chenoweth's.

Anchor Patent Flour for \$5 a barrel cash.

M. C. RUSSELL & SON.

Regular meeting of Friendship Lodge No. 43, D. of R., at Oddfellows Hall this evening.

Murphy the Jeweler is showing the largest and best line of Cut Glass in the city. Call and see how cheap.

The wide-awake merchant will place an "ad" in The Ledger, to run the entire week immediately preceding Christmas. Our hired man will call on you.

Just received, a large of the celebrated Raymond Coal, which will be sold at cash price less than people expect to pay on present market.

JOSEPH H. DONSON.

The Rev. Joseph Rand, the well-known Presiding Elder of the Lexington District, has been a member of the Kentucky Conference for fifty years, having joined in 1848.



OUT OF TOWN.
Now doth the city idiot his pleasant home desert,
He wanders off to some old lake and does a fannal shir;
There in apartments two by four he tries to take his ease
While fighting ammalincol, mosquitoes, bugs and fleas.
He hasn't room to take his breath, but yet he tries to smile
In a sickly, sentimental way, for that's the proper style:
"How is the climate?" some one asks,
"Well," he says, "as a rule,
Although the days are pretty warm, the nights are always cool."

He wanders up and down the beach, reciting poems and such
And looks down on the other chumps as if they weren't much;
He thinks of boats and rigging and the far board and the lee,
As if he would impress folks that he'd some time been to sea;
He hitches up his trousers like a sailor on the stage
And orates to small schoolgirls of a very tender age:
If some one shouts: "How hot it is!" he shouts
"You goddamned fool!"
Although the days are pretty warm, the nights are always cool." — St. Paul Dispatch.

Mrs. Francis Smith fell at Dover and broke one of her wrists

A child of Mr. Henry Pyles, who had diphtheria, is improving.

Mr. Henry C. Anderson, who has been ill at Dover, is improving.

Call and see the Holiday Goods at Henry W. Ray's Postoffice Drugstore.

Cut and Pressed Glass Perfumery and Salt Bottles at Chenoweth's Drugstore.

Christmas Toys—all kinds and at the lowest prices as can be had at Jos. Brown.

Samuel Hiler, aged 71, died at Poplar Plains after a long illness of heart trouble.

Mr. James W. Elgin will arrive February 1st move from Flemingsburg to this city.

Mr. Henry E. Gabby will preach at the Aberdeen Baptist Church Sunday afternoon.

Don't fail to place your "ad" in The Ledger if you want the most for your money.

The Court of Appeals affirmed the case of Branel vs. Byron, taken up from this county.

The C. and O. will at an early date begin the erection of a coal elevator at Augusta.

Aberdeen has been without a Sunday mail for seven years, and her citizens want one.

A movement will soon be put on foot at Aberdeen to secure a Sunday mail for that place.

The Frank Owens Hardware Company has this season sold more than a hundred thousand loaded shells.

George M. Manchester, a teacher in Bracken schools some few years ago, died recently at Rome, O.

The Rev. Dr. W. H. Felix has tendered his resignation as Pastor of the First Baptist Church of Lexington.

Atlanta, Ga., has an ordinance prohibiting vehicles from passing places of worship at a rapid rate on Sunday.

Mr. George S. Haugaboo and Miss Gracie Henderson, both of Mason county, were married yesterday at Salem.

Mr. Ben W. Hall has received his commission as Postmaster of Mr. Sterling and will assume his duties next Wednesday.

Mr. Elijah W. Kimble of Adams county, O., and Miss Louise M. Otto of Mason county were married in this city yesterday.

The Ladies' Auxiliary of the C. W. B. M. of the Christian Church are requested to meet in the Chapel tomorrow afternoon at 2:30 o'clock.

Mr. William H. Drake of Lewis county and Miss Rosa Kelly of Mason county were married yesterday at the residence of Mr. Yasell on Bullcreek.

The monthly crop bulletins issued by the Commissioner of Agriculture will be discontinued until the opening of the growing season next spring.

Mr. Harry M. Crawford left last week to resume his position on the steamer City of Louisville, which has taken the place of the sunken steamer Telegraph.

The members of the Christian Church of Germantown have secured the services of Rev. J. W. McGarvey of Lexington to preach once a month, beginning in January.

Senator Deboe has endorsed his personal friend Major J. E. Ashcraft for Postmaster at Paducah, but President McKinley wants to appoint Editor Frank McKinley, and there the matter rests for the present.

Cincinnati has another scandal on hand over tobacco inspections.

An epidemic of measles exists at Springfield, O. There have been 1,188 cases in six weeks.

The Lexington Y. M. C. A. organization is in financial straits and may be compelled to close its doors.

Sister Anthony, for many years the Mother Superior at the Good Samaritan Hospital, Cincinnati, died at Norwood, O., aged 82.

Sheriff-elect Fred. Miller of Newport has named ex-Sheriff Jule Plummer as his Office Clerk and George Hindman as his Chief Deputy.

Mr. Samuel Huff, formerly of Carlisle, has purchased the interest of Mr. C. T. Anderson in the livery business here, and the firm now is Wells & Huff.

Hon. John D. Harris is quite ill at his home in Madison county. Mr. Harris is the father-in-law of Auditor Sam Stone, and is one of the wealthiest men of his county.

The Passenger Department of the C. and O. Railway beg to advise that the supply of the F. V. V. Playing Cards has been entirely exhausted and they are no longer enabled to fill orders for cards.

The annual meeting of Maysville Section No. 1044, Endowment Rank K. of P., will be held tonight at Castle Hall at close of Lodge meeting. Election of officers, and all members are urged to attend.

To reduce one of the largest stocks of Diamonds and Gold Watches I have decided to make a great reduction in price. Call and see how cheap you can get what you want in this line at Murphy's the Jeweler.

The Court of Appeals sustains the State Superintendent of Public Instruction in refusing to accept the Louisville School Board's estimate of the number of school children in Louisville. The decision means a loss of \$35,000 to the Louisville schools this year.

Dr. J. T. Stroud, formerly of this city, has sold to Ben B. Wilson, the well-known liverman of Lexington, the following broodmares: Medallion, black mare, ten years old; by Kentucky Prince, dam Medallion by Messenger Prince; My Own Pancoat, bay mare, ten years old; by Pancoat, dam Hermione by Cuyler; and Red Light, bay mare, nine years old, by Twilight, dam Birdie Mambrino by Ericsson.

The Ladies' Aid Society of the Central Presbyterian Church invite you to a Reception and Lunch at the Home of Mrs. Mary T. Cox Friday night from six till ten o'clock.

Menu. Salads. Oysters. Mrs. C. C. Dobyns. Biscuits. Pickles. Mrs. H. C. Sharp. Coffee. Mrs. C. W. Wardle. Man. Mrs. G. W. Blatter. Mrs. S. A. Shanklin.

Bargain Day at Booklet's. Blankets, Underwear, Stamped Linens, &c.

FORTUNATE ACCIDENT.

An Emery Wheel Burst Without Injuring Any One Yesterday Afternoon.

A mishap, which fortunately resulted without injury to any one, occurred about 1:30 yesterday afternoon in the machine shops of the James H. Hall Co.'s Plow Works.

William Woods was at work at one of the emery wheels, which was making about 1,000 revolutions a minute, when the wheel burst, breaking in several places.

The broken parts fortunately flew in a direction opposite to Mr. Woods, one piece narrowly missing George Jones, who was at work a short distance away.

DIED AT DOVER.

Mr. W. A. P. Lurley, a Farmer-Citizen and Merchant of Maysville.

After a long illness Mr. W. A. P. Lurley died at Dover at 11 a. m. yesterday, aged 69.

For many years he was a merchant in this city, where he has several relatives and a large circle of friends.

Surviving are a widow and two sons, Mr. Charles W. Lurley of Marietta, O., and Mr. Onasias P. B. Lurley of Washington, this county.

The remains will be brought here at 10 o'clock Saturday morning, and there will be services at the grave in Maysville Cemetery, conducted by Rev. F. W. Harrop of the M. E. Church.

Now is the Time!

To select a Christmas, Wedding

or Birthday Present. What is the use of putting off until

the last moment? You will have a better selection to

choose from and you can get waited on better. Nothing

is more certain than Christmas will soon be here and you

will want to give some gifts to friends and relatives. No

one can show you a greater variety of things suitable for

gifts than we can, and no one can give you such low

prices.

BALLENGER, Jeweler.

Wedding and Holiday presents in great variety at McCarthy's, the Jeweler.

Call at Chenoweth's Drugstore for Toilet Sets, Infant Brushes, Shaving Requisites, etc.

Dr. Hunter has recommended Thomas Simpson for Postmaster at Franklin and J. F. Taylor at Glasgow.

Miss Henrietta Tureman, formerly of this city, is recovering from a recent illness at her home in Cincinnati.

The gross receipts of the bazar and lunch given by the C. W. B. M. of the Christian Church Wednesday were over \$90.

Our "Golden Bell" and "Lemon Verbena" Colognes are what you want in your Xmas bottles. Made only at Chenoweth's.

The railroads have been given until January 1st, 1900, to finish the equipment of all cars with automatic couplers and airbrakes.

Aunt Charlotte Travis, colored, one of the earliest settlers and supposed to be nearly 100 years of age, died at Aberdeen Tuesday.

Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy can always be depended upon and is pleasant and safe to take. Sold by J. Jas. Wood, Drugist.

Y. M. C. A. MATTERS.

What the Local Association is Doing For the City's Young Men.

The Board of Directors will please meet at 7:30 o'clock sharp this evening for their regular monthly meeting.

Business of importance is to be transacted, so it is urged upon every Director to be present.

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John F. Powell of Mt. Olivet has had his pension increased from \$10 to \$30 a month.

Ville Black Cooper, eldest son of Mr. and Mrs. Dillard Cooper, died of scarlet fever at Minneapolis. He was a nephew of Mrs. A. R. Burgess of this city.

Mayor Cox and I. M. Lane are of a bustling party now scouring the country in the neighborhood of Ragless Campgrounds. They will be gone several days.

Mr. Jake P. Nash, who moved to Lexington three months ago, will return to Maysville and make his domicile in the O'Donnell Building, Second above Market, on and after next Tuesday.

The funeral of George Alberts, little daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Turplinger, will take place this afternoon at 2 o'clock from the residence, with services by the Rev. S. D. Dutcher of the Christian Church.

Mr. James H. Grigsby, Jr., of Sardis is an exception. Yesterday he "walked up to the Capital's office" and advanced his subscription to The Lantern to January, 1899. He's the only one in a list of more than twelve hundred that has this distinction.

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A HUGE PROTEST

Presented to the Senate by Native Hawaiians

Against the Annexation of the Hawaiian Islands to United States

Wash., Dec. 10.—The house Thursday Mr. Plummer, of Georgia, introduced a bill authorizing an investigation of the books, accounts and methods of railroads which have received aid from the United States. It provides that in the president's judgment the secretary of the treasury shall redeem or otherwise clear off the paramount lien, mortgage or other incumbrance of government aid railroads by paying the sums lawfully due out of the treasury or may bid and purchase for the United States the property subject to such incumbrance, any and every such lien, mortgage or other of the court or any judgment or decree of foreclosure of such incumbrance or any lien or mortgages or interests of the United States.

Secretary Gage has adopted a plan for naming new vessels of the revenue cutter service. The old system of naming vessels was to call them after secretaries, sometimes senators or members of the house, and sometimes after cities. Hereafter, however, the vessels will receive the names of tribes of Indians. The cutter launched at Cleveland Wednesday has been named the Algonquin, and another will be named the Onondago. It is not unlikely that the names of the old cutters Smith and Sperry will be changed in conformity with the new plan.

The senate committee on commerce Thursday authorized Senator Carter to take the chief clerk of the classified service as provided in the original bill. The committee also recommended the immediate appointment of a director of census at a salary of \$8,000; an assistant director, a chief clerk and five chief statisticians.

The senate committee on commerce Thursday heard an informal report from Senator Nelson, chairman of the subcommittee to investigate the Mississippi river. The subcommittee will make a partial report and will then proceed to continue and complete the investigation.

Representative Lullinger, of New Jersey, introduced a bill Thursday for constructing dry docks and enlarging those already built in a number of cities. The bill appropriates \$100,000 for each for the construction of dry docks at Portsmouth, N. H., not to cost over \$100,000; Boston, Mass., not to cost over \$150,000; Albany, N. Y., not to cost over \$150,000; the other appropriations made in the bill are: New York, N. Y., \$250,000; New Orleans, La., \$250,000; Norfolk, Va., \$100,000; and to construct wharf at Port Royal, S. C., \$75,000.

Senator Hoar Thursday presented a motion to protest in the senate from native Hawaiians against the annexation of the Hawaiian Islands to the United States. The protest filed several hundred pages of foolscap paper and was forwarded by Enclow, secretary of the Hawaiian League, to the Hawaiian Patriotic League and the Hawaiian Woman's Patriotic League, who made certificates of approval. The signatures of 10,000 were women and 100 were foreigners. The petition was printed in both the English and Hawaiian languages and was very brief, merely "protesting against annexation of the United States in any shape or form."

The presentation of the petition was witnessed by the native Hawaiians comprising the Hawaiian League, who oppose annexation who made their first visit to the capitol Thursday. They told those who were questioning that their people were unanimously opposed to annexation.

Wash., Dec. 10.—Although no formal session has yet been held, a general understanding has been reached by the leaders in the house of representatives as to the course of legislation in the near future. This contentment plates the disposal of appropriation bills as fast as they are ready for consideration. After these the bankruptcy bill will be given the first opportunity for a hearing. This measure will be reported by Chairman Henderson, of the judiciary committee, and will be held by the house until after the recess. It is understood that Speaker Cannon will be the committee on the bill will be disposed to give this bill every advantage in the way of securing early time for its consideration.

It is equally well understood that for the present there will be no effort to take up financial legislation on the floor of the house. This is due mainly to the fact that a strong impression prevails among members of the house that the committee on banking and currency will not be able to reconcile the many conflicting interests inside of the committee.

Made from bankruptcy and appropriation bills, some emergency measures, such as that relating to fishing, introduced by the committee on general policy and are not likely to meet with opposition. With these exceptions, the disposition of the house leaders will be to keep radical legislation in the rear.

Wash., Dec. 10.—The committee on foreign affairs of the house of representatives held its first meeting Wednesday and outlined its line of work on the several bills before it. The committee now pending: Chinese

bill announced the following subcommittee to deal with Cuban affairs: Adams, of Pennsylvania; Hewitt, of Minnesota; and Senator of Kentucky. The subcommittee to consider Hawaiian affairs is: Platt, of Illinois; Smith, of Michigan; and Dinsmore, of Arkansas.

CONGRESSIONAL

The Senate After Transacting Considerable Business Adjourns Until Monday—The House in Session

WASHINGTON, Dec. 10.—SENATE.—The senate did a considerable amount of business, although to very important legislation was considered or passed, and there was very little discussion. The senate adjourned until Monday. The house in session, called attention to the increasing demand for private pension legislation and requested money to be expended in the future to see that their bills for private pensions were meritorious before they were introduced. An attempt was made by Senator McPherson to secure an appropriation for the relief of the Klondike miners, but the result was a resolution calling on the secretary of war for all information he had on the subject. In the hour devoted to the consideration of private pension bills and a number of resolutions of the Pacific railroad committee asking information regarding the sale of the Kansas Pacific and the Santa Fe, the senate adjourned until Monday. The house in session, called attention to the increasing demand for private pension legislation and requested money to be expended in the future to see that their bills for private pensions were meritorious before they were introduced. An attempt was made by Senator McPherson to secure an appropriation for the relief of the Klondike miners, but the result was a resolution calling on the secretary of war for all information he had on the subject. In the hour devoted to the consideration of private pension bills and a number of resolutions of the Pacific railroad committee asking information regarding the sale of the Kansas Pacific and the Santa Fe, the senate adjourned until Monday.

HOUSE.—The house Thursday entered upon the consideration of the pension appropriation and adjourned until Monday. The house in session, called attention to the increasing demand for private pension legislation and requested money to be expended in the future to see that their bills for private pensions were meritorious before they were introduced. An attempt was made by Senator McPherson to secure an appropriation for the relief of the Klondike miners, but the result was a resolution calling on the secretary of war for all information he had on the subject. In the hour devoted to the consideration of private pension bills and a number of resolutions of the Pacific railroad committee asking information regarding the sale of the Kansas Pacific and the Santa Fe, the senate adjourned until Monday.

For the relief of persons who had been granted pensions during their widowhood and the granting of pensions to widows whose applications had been rejected. The bill provided for the passage of this act, and the senate adjourned until Monday.

HILL'S REASON
For Getting Clocked, and the Police Judge Advised Him to Keep It Up.
PITTSBURGH, Dec. 10.—James A. Hill, father of Philip Hill, who has been hanged Wednesday, was arraigned before Judge Bernard McKenna at the city hall, and was charged with drunkenness Thursday. Officer James Lowry found him lying on Chatham street about an hour after the execution was completed. He was taken place. He was paralyzed drunk.

"Hill, what have you to say for yourself?" asked the judge. "I was glad that my son was not hanged Wednesday," said the prisoner. "You had a proper excuse for getting into a drinking man, but when you advised me to go on another tour today."

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TERIBLE DEED.

One of the Most Atrocious Murders on Record in the South.

A Mother and Five Children Killed During the Father's Absence.

One of the Children Had Been Suffering to Tell What He Knew of the Occurrence—The Crime Was Committed by a Negro—A Negro in a South.

Wessex, Miss., Dec. 10.—One of the most atrocious murders on record in the south was committed Wednesday night in Simpson county, this state, 30 miles from here. Brown Smith, a farmer, and a son of ex-representative Edward Smith, left his family at his home in the country to go to town for shopping purposes, thinking of no possible danger to them.

Thursday morning when he returned he found his wife and five children weltering in their blood and apparently all dead. An alarm was raised immediately and the entire neighborhood went out to hunt for the perpetrator of the cold, steady, cruel and bloody crime. Being no telegraph connections details of the murder came in slowly, but it was reported Thursday evening that one of the little girls, supposed Thursday morning to have been dead, has revived enough to tell what she knew of the occurrence.

She said she knows the man who committed the deed—that it was a Negro, and described him as a tall, dark man, about 30 years of age, with a great probability that he will be apprehended, and there can be but little doubt of his meeting speedy judgment when caught without waiting for the formality of a court.

It is learned that Mrs. Smith and the other four children are dead. Sheriff McFar, of Lincoln, and Thomson, of Copiah counties, have gone to the scene of the murder, each with a pack of trained bloodhounds.

A Desperate Italian.
PHILADELPHIA, Dec. 10.—Antonio Tompase, a Philadelphia, was probably fatally wounded Friday because of the rejection of his affections by Tompase's 19-year-old daughter. The following is a brief account of the case: Tompase, a native of Italy, was setting fire to the clothing of Tompase's little son Michael, and when an attempt was made to arrest him he successfully held a sword of police and freemen at bay until he had twice fired his revolver at them and slightly wounded Police Sergeant Simpson and a citizen named Sachero. Finally driven to a corner he set fire to his room, and until severely handcuffed, defended himself with a large knife.

He needed no fluster.
CHICAGO, Dec. 10.—Dr. H. A. Moyer, a noted insanity expert, and one of the leading physicians of the city, was attacked by footpads Thursday night at the intersection of Adams street and Ashland street. The footpads, who were looking for a time when the numerous pedestrians were on the street, and was one of the boldest attempts to kidnap a man in Chicago for a long time. Dr. Moyer made a fight for his money and knocked one of the men down. The other man then shot the doctor in the groin, inflicting a wound that will not prove serious. The robbers secured no plunder.

Mrs. Lingert Alive and Well.
BOSTON, Dec. 10.—The Globe Thursday says: Mrs. Lucretia, the supposed victim of the alleged assassin, is alive and well. Mrs. Lucretia, besides giving more or less explanation relative to the reasons which caused her to leave her husband, has been tried for his life. Such was the startling declaration made by Editor John H. Schofield, of St. Louis, to a Globe reporter.

December Week 91.00.
CHICAGO, Dec. 10.—A mild considerable excitement in December when sold Thursday at 91.00, the highest price with one exception since the memorable "Old Hush" corner in 1888. The market was very active, and the trading started ranging all the way from \$1.01 to \$1.05, and in a few minutes it rose to \$1.05. Trade was much more active than during the previous Monday and Tuesday, when the selling of not to exceed 50,000 bushels caused the market to go down.

Superior Cattle Sale at Illinois.
QUINCY, Ill., Dec. 10.—There are good prospects that sugar beet culture will be in a plan to induce the farmers to go into the business. The Chicago, Burlington & Quincy Railroad Co. is interested in the new future and on an extensive scale. The Chicago, Burlington & Quincy Railroad Co. is interested in the new future and on an extensive scale. The Chicago, Burlington & Quincy Railroad Co. is interested in the new future and on an extensive scale.

Francis and Brazil Agree.
RIO JANEIRO, Brazil, Dec. 10.—The Brazilian senate has approved the Amara treaty of arbitration with France. The treaty provides that all boundary disputes between the two governments be submitted to a commission for settlement. The convention met considerable opposition in the senate, but it was approved by a vote of 15 to 10. The treaty will be ratified by congress next February, and immediately after the Brazilian and French commissioners will be appointed.

Mrs. McKinley's Condition.
CANTON, O., Dec. 10.—At 9 o'clock Thursday afternoon there was no report as to the condition of the president's wife, Mrs. McKinley. When the doctor left shortly after noon he expected her to be better.

At 9 o'clock Friday morning everything was quiet at the McKinley residence. The family had evidently recovered from their fright.

Sails for the West Indies.
KITT, Dec. 10.—The German cruiser Gales sailed for the West Indies Thursday.

CONDENSED NEWS

Gathered From All Parts of the Country

Two miners, John Hensett and Frank Weber, have been killed in a snowslide at the Hecla mine near Glenora.

Thursday's statement of the condition of the treasury shows: Available cash balance \$27,844,140; gold reserve \$1,014,418.

Among the passengers who arrived on board the steamer Trave from Bremen, Aug. 10, Lehr, the German consul, and his family.

Thos. O'Neill and John O'Brien, two longhorners of Chicago, were run over by an Illinois Central train Thursday night and fatally injured.

The fire Wednesday night in the Knoxville woolen mills did not stop until a single day. These mills are the largest of the kind in the world.

President Pierola has vetoed the measure recently passed by congress legalizing non-Catholic marriages in Peru and providing for the registration of such marriages.

A lab of quarts with veins of gold prominently showing will convey California's invitation to President McKinley to visit the state in January 24, the golden jubilee of the discovery of gold.

At Chicago John McCosh, a business man, was attacked by robbers about 10 o'clock Thursday night. He fired at them and they returned the fire, hitting McCosh three times, inflicting wounds that will prove fatal.

The chamber of commerce of Los Angeles, Cal., has declared itself opposed to the annexation of the Hawaiian Islands and passed a resolution declaring that annexation would materially affect the best sugar industry in the world.

The King ranch in Monterey county, California, has been purchased by the Spreckels Sugar Co. The price paid is \$1,000,000. The ranch will be devoted to the cultivation of sugar beets for the supply of the new factory at Salinas.

The house and committee, which is framing a bankruptcy bill, got together Thursday and began work. The Henderson bill was taken as a basis, and the committee will make a bill change, as a substitute for the Nelson bill passed by the senate.

Fall River, Mass., everybody is waiting for the presentation of the new schedule of wages which the mill men committee has given authority to take into effect. The general belief is that the cut down will be about 1 per cent, although this can not be definitely stated.

The preparation of the Indian appropriation bill will begin immediately in the house committee on Indian and Commerce. The bill was reported to the house early in January.

There are many important matters before it but everything now will give way to the Indian bill.

Fred Schroeder, a Chicago saloon-keeper who has been drinking heavily of late, shot himself Thursday night, inflicting what is supposed was a mortal wound. When a policeman entered Schroeder shot himself through the chest.

Gov. Safford, of Nevada, denounces the action of the Nevada legislature, in Chicago, in lynching Alan Ueber, as an example of barbarism. He disapproves of the law of the state from the authorities. Douglas claims he will offer a reward for the apprehension of the leaders and accessories.

The board of directors of the Merchants exchange, of St. Louis, held a special meeting Thursday and declared the approval of the bill of the railroad pooling bill now pending in congress. They passed a resolution asking the senate to take up the bill for Missouri to amend the act which will have for its object such an amendment to the present law.

A Free Thinker Sentenced.
GRATE, Wis., Dec. 10.—Bruno Wille, a free thinker, has been sentenced to a week's imprisonment for refusing to pay a fine to exempt the Christian and Jewish religions.

Forecast for Friday.
WASHINGTON, Dec. 10.—For Tennessee and Kentucky a heavy rain, probably with some snow. For Western Pennsylvania, and Ohio—generally clear weather, probably with some snow. For Indiana—clear; fresh to brisk southerly wind.

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